

# MERRY XMAS

It is Coming and We are Ready. Are You? If you are not Prepared, let us help you. The most Appropriate Gifts are represented in our display of **NEW AND RELIABLE GOODS.**

Here are a few suggestions following that are useful as well as ornamental gifts, and are sure to be appreciated; articles that you will find in a number of styles and at prices beyond comparison. We Urge you to come in and make your selections while the stock is complete. A deposit will hold your choice until the presentation time, and if you choose you can drop in and make part payments in the mean time, thus providing your gifts without laying all of your money out at one time. : : :

Book Case, Writing Desk, Dining Table, Set of Dining Chairs, Library Table, Morris Chair, Rocking Chair, Chiffonier, Commode, Dresser, Lounge, Bed, Hall Tree, China Rack, Suit case, Picture, Stove or Range, etc.

A Swell Line of Carpet Sweepers and Kitchen Cabinets.

We wish to call your particular attention to our Rockers. We offer the largest variety and best values in the Valley. Prices Ranging from \$2.50 to \$15.

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### TERSELY TOLD TOWN TOPICS.

Mrs. Albert Zerall of Marcola presented her husband with a baby girl on Monday, at the home of Dave Mosby in this city.

J. C. Morss, lineman for the Postal Telegraph company, was called to Salem on Sunday to renew a burned out cable.

E. D. Handy has transferred to L. H. Slagle lots 7 and 8 in D. G. McFarland's addition, consideration \$1450.

Dealers in fire wood have been kept busy during the past week.

There will be no admission fee to the piano recital at the Methodist church tomorrow evening.

The Electric Light Company has placed one of the new arc lamps at the corner of Main and Fourth streets. It is a great improvement over the other arcs.

Albert Anderson yesterday shipped to H. W. Hawley of Eugene a seven-weeks-old Scotch Collie.

For sale—A good restaurant, cheap for cash. Well located. Reason for selling, have another business to look after. For information call at The Sentinel office, or address Box 482, Cottage Grove, Oregon.

Mrs. L. L. Woods of Eugene was a guest of Mrs. Hickey a portion of the week.

Judge G. R. Chrisman will leave tomorrow for Los Angeles, there to spend the winter.

J. A. Crow of near Eugene was in Cottage Grove this week, enroute to Josephine county. He has rented his farm.

F. J. Hard was in the city on Tuesday.

C. C. Hazelton attended a meeting of the Eugene Merchants' Protective association Monday night.

"Christ's Hands" Methodist church, Sunday evening.

Fire at Drain on Monday destroyed a two-story landmark on Main street. The house was unoccupied tottering to decay, and had been an eyesore. The volunteer fire boys did good work in saving adjoining buildings.

"My wife is a happy woman now," said Bill, with a broad smile, and his listener's mouths just watered to hear him tell of that nice bread she made of Waldo Hill flour. And he said, "Spray & Co. and all grocers handle it and it costs no more than any other valley flour."

The Rev. Fr. Gilligan came down from Eugene Friday afternoon and held services in the Catholic church.

Dr. J. O. VanWinkle made a professional call three miles east of Saginaw last Friday, and encountered an inch of snow in the hills. He renewed his youth by making snow balls on the return trip.

A good liberal discount on pianos at Veatch's Music store until November 1st, to make room for new stock.

Vote for the ten-mill school tax. The schools need the money.

Mrs. W. J. Harris of Black Butte was in the city on Saturday.

F. E. Burns of Creswell registered at Hotel Oregon on Saturday.

Cream of Tartar comes from grapes. Every crimson drop of grape juice contains its integral part of grape acid, or cream of tartar. This is what good baking powders, such as Cleveland's is made from.

J. M. Singletary of Eugene was here on Saturday.

S. B. Crouch and E. Brown of Roseburg were Cottage Grove visitors on Monday.

Buy an Edison Phonograph at Veatch's Music Store and enjoy the long winter evenings.

G. M. Parker of Eugene was in the city on Wednesday.

Mrs. T. C. Wheeler is spending a fortnight in Washington, a guest of her mother.

Mrs. H. B. Neil of Dorena was a Cottage Grove visitor on Saturday.

A carload of new high grade pianos arrived at Marion Veatch's Music store November 1st.

Fred Beidler went to Oakland on Saturday.

L. F. Knowlton of Portland is in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Perkins of Baker City, while enroute to California to spend the winter, stopped in Cottage Grove to visit relatives.

Rev. Sutcliffe entertained Bruce Baird of Yamhill over Sunday.

Cleveland's Baking Powder.

Mrs. S. E. Parker has gone to Albany for a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. N. H. Wheeler, and before her return will go to Clackamas county for a visit with her two sisters, Mrs. R. R. Thomas and Mrs. M. B. Lett. Every year the three sisters get together for their Thanksgiving dinner.

Thos. J. Poe, a former Cottage Grove man, is here for a visit with his cousin, Dr. H. H. Petrie.

"Christ's Mother" Methodist church, Sunday morning.

Olympic Process Barley, 75 pound

sacks. The cheapest and best, \$1.25 per sack at Spray-Wynne Company.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wise have moved to Yoncalla to reside.

Jas. Ambrose, junior, of Yoncalla was in the city this week.

Mrs. Eva Ellis was a recent visitor to Yoncalla.

What makes Cleveland's Baking Powder sell? Quality and price. 3 pound cans \$1.00; 5 pound cans \$1.65. Ask for the cans with the patent screw top.

Messrs. T. R. Parker and J. W. Baker have received a box of persimmons from H. W. Lewis of Los Angeles, with whose party they were camping the past summer. The fruit is fine we know whereof we speak.

Call and look at E. B. Grable's line of men's and boys' work shoes. They are guaranteed. Store on Fourth street.

Flour prices took a jump of 60 cents a barrel on Wednesday making the wholesale price of patent flour \$5.70 a barrel. All over the Pacific Northwest quotations have been marked up, the advance at some points being less than at others, but all being based on the same general price as fixed at the Portland and Puget Sound markets. This advance was not unexpected, in fact, it is several weeks overdue, for the wheat market has been steadily climbing upward and finally reached a point where the flour cost the millers more than they were selling it for.

See that the label on your can of baking powder reads Cream of Tartar, Bi-carbonate of Soda and starch, as it takes all of these ingredients to make a perfect baking powder—such as Cleveland's.

Andy Nelson was in the county seat yesterday, as was also David Markley. County Superintendent Dillard has been in Cottage Grove for a day or two.

All kinds of sewing machine needles at Marion Veatch's.

At a meeting of the directors of the Poultry Association, held on Tuesday evening, it was decided to hold a cat show on the last night.

E. B. Grable sews on shoe soles and guarantees his work. Give him a call, on Fourth street.

The McKenzie Merry Makers will open a three-nights' engagement at the Arcade Theatre next Thursday night. Failing to make satisfactory arrangements for the Armory, Manager Hall was induced to take on this company, which is said to be one of the best of its kind on the road.

Forty pound China Pheasant Flour for one bushel of wheat at Spray-Wynne Company.

Henry Briggs of Eugene was in the city yesterday.

### ALL STORES WILL CLOSE.

Merchants Agree to Lock Places of Business For Two Occasions.

At a special meeting of the Merchants' Protective Association last night it was unanimously decided to close the stores promptly at 9 o'clock Saturday night in order to give opportunity to attend a reception to the visiting lumbermen of Oregon and Washington, to be held at that hour.

It was also decided to close the stores on Thanksgiving day between the hours of 12 and 3 o'clock.

### ACTION TO RECOVER MONEY.

Cottage Grove Man Sues Two Roseburgers for Cold Cash Loaned.

Roseburg News: "Frank McIntyre, of Cottage Grove, has filed suit in the circuit court against George and Blanch Rouse. He asks to recover the sum of \$310, which he alleges he loaned the defendants upon different occasions on their promise to return the same with

interest at the rate of 6 per cent. He claims that they have failed to pay any part of the said loan to date, therefore asks judgement for \$310, and the costs and disbursements incurred in bringing the suit."

### The First to Comply.

Perhaps a wrong impression was conveyed by The Sentinel's story of last week regarding Hotel Oregon refusing to conform to the requirements of the legislative enactment for nine-foot sheets. While the law is not effective until January 1, Landlord Westbrook has already adopted the elongated sheets, and his is the first hostelry in this section, say the traveling salesmen, to comply with the law.

L. N. Roney, who is constructing a bridge across Sharp's creek, sixteen miles from Cottage Grove, for the county and Mr. Hard, has been seriously hindered by the inclement weather.

W. H. French of Sarina, Ontario,

has written the Commercial club for information regarding this section. He is an extensive farmer.

Albany boasts of a new cancelling machine in its postoffice.

You can get first class shoe and harness repairing at the new shop of E. B. Grable, on Fourth street.

Mr. Thornton has moved to the handsome Lawson block. Johnson & Co. will move thereto about December 1.

Fruit Inspector B. Beebe made an official visit to Cottage Grove yesterday.

## NOTICE.

I have purchased one of the W. W. Ladd registered Jersey bulls, Zelays Pogis, terms \$2.50. Cash in advance. TOM COX.

## HOLIDAY GOODS

We have the largest and best stock of Staple and Seasonable Holiday Goods brought to the city; the only place where you can find all of the

Latest Books of Fiction, at Prices Lower than ever offered here before

A Large line of Dolls and Pyrographic Outfits. We will be pleased to have you look at our stock, and see the finest of the Season's Offering. Any article will be reserved and laid away until wanted

## BENSON'S PHARMACY